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[For the Saturday Evening Post]

Messrs. Editors,

The following lines, I beg leave to hand you, that they may receive a place in a column of your paper; they are from the pen of Lord Byron, and have not yet made their appearance among the rest of the productions of his prolific pen.

Yours, &c. W. T.

Spirit not! nor dream! my spirit's fled—
In me, behold the only skull,
From which, unlike a living head,
Whatever flows is never dull.

I lov'd—I lov'd—I quaff'd like thee,
I died—let earth my bones resign,
Fill up, thou can'st not injure me,
The worm hath fouler lips than thine.

Better to hold the sparkling grape,
Than nurse the earth-worm's slimy breed,
And circle in the goblet's shape,
The drink of Gods, than reptiles feed.

Where'er, perchance, my wit hath shown,
In aid of others let me shine—
And when, alas! our brains are gone,
What nobler substitute than wine.

Quaff whilst thou canst, another race,
When thou, and thine, like me are sped,
May rescue thee from death's embrace,
And rhyme, and revel, with the dead.

Why not? When thro' life's little day,
Our heads should sad effect produce;
Redeem'd from worm's devouring clay,
This chance is thine, to be of use.

NOTE. On digging near the Abbey of Newstead, (the seat of his Lordship,) for the purpose of making a cold Bath, several human skulls were found—out of one of them his lordship formed the horrid idea of having it filled up as a goblet, which was mounted with silver, and handed about to his guests (filled with ale) after their cheese.

The Burial of Sir John Moore,

Who fell at the Battle of Corunna, in 1808.

Not a drum was heard, nor a funeral note,
As his corse to the rampart we hurried;
Not a soldier discharg'd his farewell shot
O'er the grave where our hero we buried.

We buried him darkly at dead of night,
The sods with our bayonets turning;
By the struggling moon beam's misty light,
And the lantern dimly burning.

No useless coffin enclos'd his breast,
Nor in sheet, nor in shroud, we bound him,
But he lay like a warrior taking his rest,
With his martial cloak around him.

Few and short were the prayers we said,
And we spoke not a word of sorrow;
But we steadfastly gaz'd on the face of the dead,
And we bitterly thought of the morrow.

We thought, as we hollow'd his narrow bed,
And smooth'd down his lonely pillow,
That the foe and the stranger would tread o'er his head,
And we far away on the billow.

Lightly they'll talk of the spirit that's gone,
And o'er his cold ashes upbraid him;
But nothing he'll reck, if they let him sleep on,
In the grave where a Briton hath laid him.

But half of our heavy task was done,
When the clock toll'd the hour for retiring—
And we heard by the distant random gun,
That the foe was suddenly firing.

Slowly and sadly we laid him down,
From the field of his fame fresh and gory;
We carv'd not a line, we rais'd not a stone,
But left him alone with his glory.

Moral and Religious.

INDIFFERENCE IN RELIGION.

Indifference in eternal things, instead of tranquilizing the mind, as it professes to do, is, when a thoughtful moment occurs, a fresh subject of uneasiness; because it adds to our peril the horror of not knowing it.—If shutting our eyes to a danger would prevent it, to shut them would not only be a happiness, but a duty; but to barter eternal safety for momentary ease, is a wretched compromise. To produce this delusion, mere inconsideration is as efficient a cause as the most prominent sin. The reason why we do not value eternal things, is because we do not think of them. The mind is so full of what is present, that it has no room to admit a thought of what is to come. Not only we do not give that attention to a never-dying soul which prudent men give to a common transaction, but we do not even think it worth the care which inconsiderate men give to an inconsiderable one. We complain that life is short, and yet throw away the best part of it, only making over to religion that portion which is good for nothing else; life would be long enough if we assigned its best period to its best purpose.

Let spend their lives in anticipation, in etemining to be vastly happy at some future priod or other, *when they have time.* But the present time has one advantage over any other—it is our own. Past opportunities are gone, future are not come.—We may lay in a stock of pleasure, as we would lay in a stock of wine; but if we defer tasting of them too long, we shall find that they both are soured by age. Let our happiness, therefore, be a modest mansion which we can inhabit while we have our health and vigour to enjoy it; not a fabric so vast and expensive, that it has cost us the best part of our lives to build, and which we can expect to occupy only when we have less occasion for an habitation than a tomb. It has been well observed that we should treat futurity as an aged friend, from whom we expect a rich legacy. Let us do nothing to forfeit his esteem, and treat him with respect not with acurility. But let us not be too prodigal when we are young, nor too parsimonious when we are old, otherwise we shall fall into the common error of those who, when they had the power to enjoy, had not the prudence to acquire, and when they had prudence to acquire had no longer the power to enjoy.

AN EXTRACT.

"Life is short; the poor pittance of 50 years is not worth being a villain for. What matters it if your neighbor lie interred in a splendid tomb? Sleep you with innocence. Look behind you thro' the tracks of time, a vast desert of unnumbered ages lies open in the retrospect: through this desert have your forefathers journeyed on, until wearied with years and sorrows, they sunk from the walks of man.

"You must leave them where they fell, and you are to go a little further where you will find eternal rest. Whatever you may have to encounter between the cradle and the grave, be not dismayed. The universe is in endless motion; every moment big with innumerable events, which come not in slow succession, but bursting forcibly from a revolving and unknown cause, fly over this orb with diversified influence."

MILES COLVINE.

**** I was not always an unhappy man—I had fair domains, a stately house, a beauteous wife, and a sweet daughter: but it is not what we have, but what we enjoy, that blesseth man's heart, and makes him as one of the angels. I dwelt on a wild sea-coast, full of woods and caverns, the haunt of a banditti who find subsistence in fraud and violence, and from a continued perseverance in hostility to human law, become daily more hardened of heart and fierce of nature. I was young then, and romantic, and though I did not approve of the course of these men's lives, there appeared glimpses of generosity, and courage, and fortitude, about them, which shed a halo over a life of immorality and crime. I protected them not, neither did I associate with them; but they soon saw in the passive manner in which I regarded their nocturnal intercourse with the coast, and the ready and delighted ear which I lent to the narratives of their adventures by sea and land, that they had nothing to fear and much to hope. Their confidence increased, and their numbers augmented, nor they soon found a leader capable of giving an aim to all their movements, and who brought something like regular craft and ability to their counsels.

I was reputed rich, and was rich; my treasures were mostly of gold and silver plate, and bars of the former metal, the gain of a relative who had shared with the Buccaniers in the plunder of Panama. I had also been wedded for a number of years, my wife was young and beautiful, and our daughter, an only child, my own May Colvine, here where she sits, was in her thirteenth year, with a frame that seemed much too delicate to survive the disasters she has since been doomed to meet. We were counselled to carry her to warmer climates, and were preparing for our voyage, and my wife was ready to accompany me, when a large smuggling cutter cast anchor in a deep woody bay which belonged to my estate, and as I sat on the top of my house, looking towards the sea, a person in a naval dress came and accosted me. He was, he said, the captain of the Free Trader lying in the bay, with a cargo of choice wine, and his mariners were bold lads and true, had perilled themselves freely by land and water, and often experienced the protection of Miles Colvine's bay, and the hospitality of his menials. They had heard of my intention to carry my wife and daughter to a more genial climate, and, if we wished to touch at Lisbon, or to go to any of the islands where Europeans seek for health, they would give us a passage, for they honoured us next to commerce without law or restraint. But I must tell you, that the chief of this band, knowing my love for marvellous tales, hinted, that he had men on board, who, to the traditionary lore of their maritime ancestors, added their own adventures and deeds; and could, with the romantic ballads of Denmark and Sweden, mingle the troubadour tales of France, the Moorish legends of Spain, and the singular narratives which survive among the peasantry on my native coast. To soothe and propitiate my wife he had recourse to another charm; from the pocket of a long boat-cloak he produced a mantle of the most precious fabric, and spread it out before her, with all its rich [illegible] of colour and Eastern profusion of ornament, offered it as an humble present from himself and his mariners. I need not prolong this part of my narrative; we embarked at twilight, and standing out of the bay, dropped anchor till morning dawn. The captain sat armed beside us; this excited no suspicion, for he went commonly armed, and related adventures of a trying and remarkable kind which had befallen him on foreign shores, with a liveliness, and a kind of maritime grace, which were perfectly captivating. All night we heard overhead the tramp and the din of sailors passing and repassing, and with the grey of the morning we plucked up our anchor, spread our sails to a gentle wind, shot away seaward, and my native land vanished from my view. With [illegible] and gladness, we dashed and we sang on deck, and drained cups of the purest wine; while the breeze favoured us, and the sky remained unclouded and serene.

In about fifteen days the spice groves of one of the Portuguese islands appeared before us, and as the sun was setting, it was resolved we should remain at the entrance of a bay till day-light. We were crowded on the deck, looking on the green and beauteous land, and a gentle seaward wind wafted the perfume of the forest about us. My wife was then in the bloom of youth and beauty, full of health, and life, and love; and as she stood leaning on my arm, the sailors smoothed their rough looks, and refrained from curses, so much were they touched by her beauty; but this awe lasted but a little while. The captain was merry far beyond his usual measure of delight, and drained one wine cup after another to my wife's health and mine; he vowed I was as a god among his men, and that my wife was reverenced as a divinity. "But come," said he, "Miles Colvine, I have a curious and a cunning thing to show you, which you alone deserve to see; I got it among the Moors, so come and come alone."—I rose, and followed him, for my curiosity was unbounded; he conducted me below, and opening a small wicket in the wall of his cabin with a key, ushered me in, and closing it suddenly upon me, locked it, and then I heard him bounding up the stair to the deck. I stood half imagining this to be a jest, or something, at least, of a light nature; but shriek after shriek of my wife, uttered in the piercing agony of anguish and despair, soon undeceived me. I called, I entreated, I used force, and though I was armed by anger and despair with almost supernatural might, the door withstood all my efforts. But why should I dwell upon a scene of such unutterable misery? What I endured, and what the woman I loved and adored suffered, are fit only to be imagined, not, surely, to be spoken. Her wrongs were remembered, and her shrieks numbered by a POWER far more terrible than man, and a certain doom and deplorable death was pronounced against them, at the moment their joy was fullest.

The evening passed away, and morning came, and through a little wicket which looked upon the sea, the light showed me that my chamber was the treasure-room of the pirates, for such they were, as well as smugglers; at the same moment a hole opened above, and a piece of bread and an antique silver cup filled with wine, were lowered down. Amid the misery of my situation it seemed but a light evil that I recognised the silver vessel to be part of the treasure I had left at home, and in seeking for a weapon to force the wicket, I found that my whole riches, in gold as well as silver, had been seized and put on board. I could now measure the extent of my calamity, and prepared myself for a fate, which, among such miscreants, could not be deemed far distant. The morning was not much advanced when the sun dipped at once into a dark and tempestuous ocean of clouds, the wind began to whistle shriller and shriller among our sails, and the sea, upturned by sudden and heavy gusts of wind, showed as far as the eye could reach, the dark and tremendous furrows so fatal to mariners. The wind was from the land, and I could both see and feel the vessel was unable to gain the harbour, and had sought security from the approaching tempest by standing out to sea. I heard the wind wax louder, and saw the billows roll, with a joy that arises from the hope of revenge: the sky became darker, and the sea flashed over the decks, and the tempest hurried the ship onward with a rapidity which alarmed the sailors, accustomed as they were to the elements. The seams of the vessel began to admit the sea, and every where symptoms appeared of her immediate destruction.

I heard a conversation overhead I shall never forget. "I tell you," said a voice in low Scotch, "good can never come of such evil as your captain and you have wrought; had you taken Miles Colvine's gold and silver alone the sin had been but small, and a grey-headed repentance might have mended all. But the bonnie lady! her voice has been heard to-day, and tremble all you that touched her sweet body, for here has come an avenging tempest. The sea will soon devour us, and hot hell will hold us; and the mother who bore, and the wife who loved me, and the bonnie babes I have nursed on my knee, will behold me no more; and all for being in company with such hell-hounds as you."—A voice replied to all this [illegible] and suppressed to be audible; and the Scotchman answered again. "Lo, look, did ever eyes behold such a sight, all around us the sea is smooth as glass, and other ships pass by us under a gentle breeze, without a wetted sail, but we! the anger of heaven has found us, for on us the thick tempest beats, and the evil-one is pursuing us to destruction. O thou eternal villain—captain, I shall call thee no more—and you!—you fifteen wretches, who shared with him in his crime, make you ready, for that storm will neither leave you, nor forsake you, till you are buried in the ocean." At the very moment when ruin seemed inevitable the tempest ceased, the clouds passed away, and the descending sun shone brightly down, making the shoreless waters sparkle as far as the eye could reach. No bounds were now set to the joy of the crew; they crowded the deck, made a circle round several vessels of wine and baskets of biscuit, and before the twilight had passed away a few only were capable of guiding the vessel. The night grew very dark, and as I sat in utter despair I heard the same friendly voice, that I had so lately heard, say, "Miles Colvine, put your trust in Him who can still the tempest, the hour is come." In a moment the wicket opened, and the same voice said, "Take this sword, and come with me. If you have courage to avenge the miseries and the death of your beautiful and wretched wife, come, for the hour is at hand, and as sure as I hate sin, and love immortal happiness, I shall help you." I took the sword and followed in silence, and coming on deck, I beheld a scene which the hope of sure and immediate revenge rendered inexpressibly sweet. The captain and five sailors, though nearly overcome with wine, were seated on deck; the remainder of the crew had retired below; some shouted, some sang, all blasphemed, and one loud din of cursing and carousal echoed far and wide: the mingled clamour that ascended from this scene of wickedness and debauchery partook of all the evil qualities of debased minds and the most infamous pursuits, and cannot be described. Discord had its full share in the conference on deck between the captain and his confederates; they were debating about their shares in the plunder of my house. "Share! by my saul, man," said a Scottish sailor to the captain, "your share in Miles Colvine's pure gold can be but small; one hour of his sweet lady a hundred leagues from land, was worth all the gold that ever shone."—"I shall share all fairly," said the captain, laying his hand on the hilt of his cutlass, "and first I shall share thy scoundrel carcase among the fishes of the sea, if I hear such a word again. Did I plan the glorious plot of carrying away the fair lady and her lord's treasure, to share either with such a Scottish sawney as thee?" The wrath of the Scotchman burnt on his brow, far redder than the flesh of the wine he had drunk—"Fiend seethe my saul in his kettles and cauldron, if ye taste na' cauld iron for this!"—And out came his cutlass as he spoke. "That's my hearty Caledonian," said one of his comrades, "give him a touch of the toasting iron; did'nt he give a blow to the head of my mother's own son, this blessed morning, for only playing pluck at the lady's garment. Ah, give him the cold piece of steel, my hearty." A blow from the captain's cutlass was the answer to this; several drunkards drew their swords, and ill-directed blows, and ineffectual stabs were given and received in the dark.—"Now," said my sailor, laying his hand on mine, to stay me till I received his admonition, "say not one word, for words slay not, but glide in among them like a spirit; thrust your blade, for anger strikes, but revenge stabs, and I will secure the gangway and fight along with you." I heard and obeyed, and gliding among them, thrust one of them through and through; a second, and a third dropped, ere they saw who was among them. The captain attempted to draw a pistol, but my sword and my friend's, entered at back and bosom; and though two yet remained unhurt, I struck my sword a second time through the bosom of my mortal enemy, as he lay beneath me; and the last expiring glance of his eye was a look worth remembering. Ere this was accomplished, the other two were both lying with their companions. I have frequently imagined that a firmness and strength, more than my own, were given me during this desperate encounter. Meanwhile the remainder of the crew below set no bounds to their merriment and shouting, and seemed, as my Scottish friend remarked, ordained to die by my hand, since their clamour, by drowning the groans of their comrades, prevented them from providing for their safety. We fastened the cabin door, and barricaded the gangway, keeping watch with pistol and sword, with the hope of seeing some friendly shore, or a compassionate sail, while the vessel, urged onward by a strong wind, scudded with supernatural swiftness thro' the midnight waters. We had entered the Solway sea, when the storm, augmenting every moment, carried us rapidly along, and when opposite Allanbay, a whirlwind seizing our ship by the rigging whirled her fairly round, and down she went head foremost. Even in this moment of extreme peril, I shall never forget the figure that couched among the slain, started up before me, in health and unhurt. [illegible] will be with [illegible] married. [illegible] examination; From [illegible] is a fate in all things: it was that fiend in human form whom I slew to-night. Revenge is sweetest when it comes unlooked for. As we sank, a passing vessel saved my pretty May Colvine, her murdered mother's image, and her wretched father's love, and saved too the heroic sailor; while the drunken wretches went to the bottom, without the chance of swimming for an existence they deserved not to prolong.

Courtship.—The most sentimental courtship which we have ever heard or read of, took place not long since. Louisa was the only child of a gentleman, who blessed with affluence, had spared no pains to improve, by a liberal education, the graces which nature had lavished upon his daughter. In short, Louisa was an heiress, and like other heiresses, had a numerous train of suiters.

"Among the rest young William bow'd,
But never talk'd of love."

He was a young man of inestimable worth and talents, which Louisa was not the last to discover; but he possessed no small share of that diffidence usually attendant on true merit. Their eyes had long confessed a mutual flame before he could muster courage enough to disclose his passion.—Chance threw in his way a golden opportunity.—They were alone.—After awkward silence of some minutes, he advanced, took her hand. "Louisa!"—his [illegible] faltered—he could not utter another [illegible] but his eloquent countenance spoke the [illegible] Louisa understood him, and overwhelmed with confusion, stammered out—Go—[illegible] MY FATHER."

A SAILOR'S PETITION.

The following pathetic and humorous petition was actually presented to the Legislature of Maryland, on the 20th day of Dec. 1806

To the Hon. the General Assembly of Maryland now anchored in the city of Annapolis.

The humble petition of poor John Clark, of the city of Baltimore, sheweth to your honours that your unfortunate petitioner, while ploughing the domains of old Neptune, having carried rather taught sails in stormy weather, the gales of misfortune blowing hard, he overran his reckoning, the watch on deck keeping a bad look out, he was stranded on the shoals of poverty, soon after overhauled and made prisoner by the commander of the press-gang, called the Sheriff of Baltimore, and now he looked under the hatches in limbo, to the grief of his darling Poll, and his sweet little crew, who since his imprisonment have been on short allowance. Therefore, your petitioner prays your honours will order the hatches to be unbarred by the act of insolvency, that his fasts may be cut, he again put to sea on a cruise, in hopes that fortune may prove kind in the distribution of prize money, and poor Jack be once more enabled to cheer the hearts of his darling Poll and her sweet babes.

And your petitioner will ever pray.

THE PROGRESS OF PRINTING.

The number of persons employed by book-printing in the United States is estimated at 10,000—Upwards of $400,000, were expended by the publishers of Rees' Cyclopedia; 30,000 reams of paper were used; 18,000 copper-plates where engraved, from which 2,776,000 impressions were taken. It has for fifteen years given employment to a hundred persons daily. It is the largest work in the English language, and the American edition is larger than the English. The foreign books which have been published in the United States within 30 years exceed $20,000,000. The amount of books manufactured in this country every year is at least from one and a half to two millions.

Cross Readings.

(From a late London Ministerial paper), "Call you this backing your friends?"—The following curious sentences occur in the journals of the week, by reading across two columns instead of attending to the divisions.—

Yesterday afternoon Lord Eldon entertained a select party *at a cheap soup shop in the vicinity of Rosemary-lane.*

Yesterday morning the Cabinet Council finally determined to perform the afterpiece of the *Miller and his Men.*

On Tuesday there was a Board at the Treasury, to consider of *A new way to pay Old Debts, Who's Who?*

Book Keeping by double entry.

Mr. Nimms, in his history of Sterlingshire in Scotland, informs us that when writing was a rare accomplishment, the old treasurer of the town of Stirling kept his accounts by the following singular method:—He hung up two boots, one on each side of the chimney; and in one he put all the money he received, and in the other, all receipts for the money he paid. At the end of the year, or whenever he wanted to make up his accounts, he emptied the boots and by counting their several and respective contents, he was enabled [illegible]

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...W—— G——,

...e eloquence of eye,
... the flattery of a sigh;
..., the pen impart
...less feelings of a captive heart.

...ir'd expression to all art denied,
...ended with the heart's full, fervent tide,
... caution cannot hide, nor will controul:
...dvertent Nature speaks the soul.

...his, alone, ungrac'd with innate worth,
...native, gives not kindred feeling birth;
...t, when adorn'd with virtue, honour, truth,
...s charms that glow in ever-blooming youth.

...ieve with the smile of approbation high;
...These, crude indifference to kindness move,
...ne the heart with tender sympathy,
...ections pure as angels must approve.

R. G.

[For the Saturday Evening Post.]

THE ESSAYIST——No. I.

ON EDUCATION.

The benefits of education, unlike many the other temporary blessings of life, are that permanent and substantial nature as ...only to make their attainment a matter ...the most devoted importance, but their ...sion a more than sufficient counter-...ance for the privation of fortune, or the ...s to which life in all situations is inva...ably subject. Opposed to an ignorant ...an, I consider one possessed of learning ...d education as a rock of unfading ...strength compared with the sand and peb...les on the shore; the one fixed and ma...estic bids defiance to the sweep of ages ...nd the mutations of the elements—the ...ther still fluctuating in the scale of ...ever decreasing and weakening by every ...ivial circumstance, without stability or ...rity, either perishes in the insignifi... of atoms, or is hurled, unknowing ...nseen, into oblivion. There is no... which so materially exalts a man in ...cale of existence as the just develop... and refinement of his faculties by ...tion, nor in any instance is he more ... of outraging the laws of nature, than ... criminal neglect of this important ex...se. Ignorance reduces a man to a ...el with the brutes—education exalts ...a to any sphere; and though it is not ...ays that we find pre-eminence of abi...es assume pre-eminence of station, yet ...e consciousness of confessed superiority, ...hich not even the most envious will deny, ...a circumstance that brings with it no ...mall share of consolation.

We have the most abundant reason dai...ly to deplore the changeableness of for...tune, and the mutability of enjoyment;—we are elevated to-day and to-morrow de...pressed; nor can we view with all our ...foresight, the array of petty circumstance ...hat are gathering to annoy our quiet, even ...n the moment when we most anticipate ...happiness: this positive uncertainty of hu...man events is a powerful argument in ...favour of a just appreciation of education, and furnishes a fund of consolation to those who place not all their hopes in the posses...sion of the transient good, but consider the blessings of education and the refinement of mind as more to be depended on than the perishable uncertainties of the mo...ment. In situations where the heart is depressed, and the ills of life are rendered more poignant by the reflection of former happiness, where the young hope of pros...perity is blasted, and even the *means* of happiness are flown, to what better source ...can we fly for consolation than the precepts ...of education, the influence of which not only teaches us resignation, but suggests, with creative intelligence, the means by which we may retrieve the past, and make the future again smile in the resuscitations of hope and enjoyment. Dissimilar to *virtue* is it in this respect—virtue is but a passive quality, if I may so express it, whereas education is active, and its influ...ence is never more fully confessed than when suggesting the means of happiness or the fulfilment of hope: the province of virtue is certainly more extended, because it points the hope of eternity, and its radi...ance is the sunbeam that must light us to heaven:—education is the mild light rea...son dispenses over the darkness of the world, to guide us on in confidence with ourselves, and to render our transitory ex...istence not only ornamental to our na...ture, but useful to the whole family of mankind.

CLIO.

COMMUNICATION.—POLICE.

It is a notorious fact, that during a residence of *Nine Months* in Branch street, the Scavengers have been *permitted once*, and *only once*, to make their appearance. This, I presume, is left for the com...fort and convenience of the residents of that square. The accumulation of matter which has for some...time past covered the street, makes it a truly *delectable sight*, and should the Commis...ers in the plenitude of their prerogative, suffer ...a short period longer, the effluvia th... ...rarily arise, ...combinati...

From the Christian Watchman of April 6.

Latest Foreign Missionary Intelligence.

English Magazines for February have been received by the Triton, just arrived from Liverpool. They contain encourag...ing accounts of the progress of successful Missionary operations in the South-Sea Is...lands. At Huaheine, one of these islands, the Missionaries resident there, Messrs. Ellis and Barff, in their letter of June 17, 1821, observe, that their labours are pros...perous, and that "the little church of Christ in Huaheine continues to flourish." They are re-printing the gospel of John, and have commenced the translation of Isaiah. The inhabitants of the Island are about 2000, more than one half of which attend public worship on the Sabbath, and at other times. A new church of fifteen members had been formed in May last, in another of these isl...ands, of persons whose conduct had adorned their profession. The Sunday School con...tained 230 boys, 120 girls and 12 teachers. The children were regular in their atten...dance, and their behaviour commendable. Their collections for the support of religion in May last, were double in amount to those of former years.

At Raiatea, also, the inhabitants are im...proving in civilization. The schools are conducted on the Lancasterian model.—Children and adults who attend, amount to several hundreds. The conduct of the na...tives who have joined the church is exem...plary.

LONDON FASHIONS FOR FEBRUARY.

Head Dresses.—A black velvet bonnet, lined with that sort of silk plush which the French call Cupid's wings; the ground is rose colour; the long curled silk which forms the pile is of lavender. The brim is of a moderate size, finished at the edge by bands of black satin. The bottom of the crown is also ornamented with satin bands, which terminate in a full star placed on one side, and clasped in the middle with a steel oanament; the top of the crown is ornamented *en marmotte* with velvet slashed in the Spanish style, and the spaces filled with *fonceau* ribbon, embroidered with black at the edges; it passes under the chin, ties in a full bow at the right side, and a long round black feather falls very low on the left.

A dress hat, composed of black velvet and gauze; the latter disposed in full folds, and confined by steel ornaments; the brim is extremely small; it is formed of folds of gauze laid over velvet; a full plume of round black feathers is placed in front.

A turban composed of silver gauze inter...mixed with blue silk net: it is ornamented with full rose trees at each side; a drapery of blue net corded with silver gauze, goes across the back part of the crown. The lower part of the turban is composed of bands of silver gauze, slightly corded with blue satin.

Turban *a la ninon* made of *tulle*, embroi...dered in steel. The material is disposed in full folds in front, and plumes of white marabouts placed between.

A half dress, cornette, composed of Brus...sels point; the caul is rather high; the ears are broad, as is also the double border, which is very full. A rosette of Urling's lace, and a bow of blue and white ribbon ornament the caul, plain blue strings.

Full Dress.—A round dress composed of black velvet; the skirt is something narrow...er than they have lately been worn, particu...larly at top, and the fullness is thrown en...tirely into the middle of the back. The bottom of the skirt is slightly scolloped; the scollops edged with a row of Urling's point, laid on with a little fullness; above this is a trimming *en rosaces*, composed of white satin with pearl hearts; a wave highly emboidered in pearl, surmounts this trim...ming. The corsage is cut low round the bust, tight to the shape, and the waist to the usual length. The bust is ornamented in front with white satin creves, finished by pearl tassels. A row of point lace, to cor...respond with the bottom, goes round the bust, it is single in front and moderately full, but double round the shoulders and back, and has the effect of an epaulette; it is surmounted by a pearl trimming in the form of a chain. Short full sleeve, orna...mented with white satin creves to corres...pond with the bust, and terminated with a plain band of black velvet, also adorned with pearls. The hind hair is disposed of in Grecian plaits, which are wound round the head; the front hair is arranged in light ringlets brought low at the sides of the face. Head dress, white ostrich feathers. Neck...laces and ear rings, pearl. White kid gloves. White *gros de Naples* sandals.

A motion has been made in the legisla...ture of New-York to repeal the law to es...tablish agricultural societies. One mem...ber said they were aristocratical—another that they encouraged manufactures, but not agriculture—a third, that they induced great ladies to marry farmers—a fourth, they made farmers ambitious. The mo...tion was negatived, 69 to 32.

On Saturday last, Mr. John Savage, of Charlestown, discovered near the toll...house, on Charles River Bridge, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock, a large can...vass bag which had drifted down with the last ebb tide. On going to examine the same, he found it contained the remains of *six human bodies*, which had been garbled by some unfeeling monster, the bones be...ing all missing. Among the above were one young female, whose hair was braided and tied up in the modern fashionable style; the other five were males, one of whom was a coloured person. What must be the feelings of the survivors who have buried friends within the last week, as those who saw the above are decidedly of opinion that the vital spark had not fled ...re than four or five days. They were ...ed by Mr. Symmes, fu...

COMMUNICATION.

NEW AUCTION ESTABLISHMENT.

The inhabitants of Branch street, have it in contemplation, to offer at public auction, the *yearly* accumulated matter deposited in that square—timely notice of which will be given, as soon as it shall be defined what denomination of Merchan...dize the articles in question are to be considered under the new auction bonus system.

An inventory has been drawn up, which will be laid before the proper authorities, with instruc...tions to state, whether it will be necessary for the auctioneer, in this case, to give security, and what will be the amount demanded.

THE CITY COMMISSIONERS,

Will be respectfully and specially invited to su...perintend the sale.

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

FROM SPAIN—VIA GIBRALTAR.

The Gibralter Chronicle to the 27th of Feb. brought by the brig Active, arrived at New-York, contains the proceedings of the Spanish Cortes, in regard to the South American Colonies, up to the 12th of the same month. The Cortes urge the decla...ration to foreign governments, that Spain has not given up her right to her provin...ces beyond the seas, and that, therefore, *she will consider as a violation of the exist...ing treaties, the partial or absolute acknow...ledgment of their independence before the difference between them and the mother country shall have been adjusted.* This speaks a determination inimical to the views and late measures of our govern...ment, and perhaps will occasion some con...troversy, but cannot, in the present unset...tled state of Spain, lead to any hostile measures on their part.

The Gibraltar papers continue to detail the riotous proceedings of the brigands in the interior of Spain; but the government does not seem to be under any apprehen...sion as to the consequences.

Intelligence had been received at Gib...raltar that that furious veteran, Ali Pacha, seemed nearly at his last gasp. He is said to have only 400 men left, and that they are afflicted with the scurvy.

The Turks continue to hold possession of Patras making frequent *sorties* on the Greeks, from whom they carry off consid...erable booty. In the meantime the war continued to be one of extermination, and the most horrible excesses are said to be practised by both of the contending parties.

Late from Pernambuco.

A letter from Pernambuco, of Feb. 19, per the Alert, arrived at Nantucket, states that the place was in great confusion at that time, in consequence of the arrival of two ships, one of 50, the other of 36 guns, and a brig from Lisbon, with 2000 soldiers.—They had not attempted to land; but if they should, every exertion would be used by the Brazilians to prevent them, as the peo...ple were determined to follow the steps of those at Rio Janeiro, who, on the 18th Jan. had driven the European troops from the city to the opposite side of the river, where they will remain till an opportunity is of...fered to embark for Lisbon. The country people were marching in to prevent the European troops from landing. It was ex...pected that the port would be blockaded by the commander of the European forces.—The governor of Pernambuco had declared neutrality; and had no intention on his part to prevent any privileges heretofore grant...ed to American vessels.

PARTY SPIRIT.

The subsiding of party spirit in this country, (says the *Salem Gazette*) with the establishment of general peace in Europe, is strikingly exemplified in the elections at Portsmouth this year. The votes for Go...vernor were all but one for Mr. Bell; Coun...sellor, all but six for Mr. Penhallow; for County Treasurer and Register of Deeds, the votes were unanimous.

Monday the first inst. was the day of the general election in Connecticut. No exer...tions were made by the federalists, and in many towns the democrats took but little interest in the business of the day. In Hart...ford not half the electors were out, and in New-Haven the highest vote given was 138. In New-London, the votes for Governor were for Oliver Wolcott 25, for Alexander Wolcott, 25.

At a meeting of gentlemen at Dumfries, Scotland, to celebrate the anniversary of the birth day of Robert Burns, the following toast was given by Mr. Harkness: "The health of Washington Irving, the author of the Sketch Book"—"A transatlantic writ...er, to whom we are indebted for one of the richest and most varied intellectual repasts which perhaps has ever been served up to the voturies of literature; and who has em...balmed his memory in a work, which will float his name to after ages in a noble stream of melodious prose."

The body of Joseph Dutton, who was on the bridge over the Brandywine, at Wil...mington, when it was carried away, was found in the Delaware, on Sunday morning last, about five miles above the mouth of Christiana creek, nearly opposite the Prac...tical Farmer, on the Pennsylvania shore.—His money and papers were not much de...faced. Mr. Dutton's father and his first wife were both killed by accident.

On the 21st ultimo, two ladies were rid...ing near Wilmington, (N. C.) in a gig, on their way to the wedding of a friend, when the horse ran away with them. One of the ladies jumped out, and was considerably injured. A few seconds afterwards, the gig was dashed to pieces, and the other in...stantly killed. On the assembling of the guests, the funeral bier, and not the nup...tial couch presented itself to their asto...

Local Affairs.

The whole of the outward bound fleet, including the Electra for London, and Packet ships Dido, and Tobacco Plant, for Liverpool, went to sea on Thursday—in all 25 sail.

Charles J. Ingersoll, Esq. has been re-ap...pointed Attorney of the United States for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

On Tuesday last, Jonathan Smith was elected cashier of the Mechanics' Bank of this city, in the room of T. Fitch, Esq.

The whole amount received by the com...mittee appointed for the superintendance of the concerns of the Orphan Asylum, in consequence of the late fire, from different contributions, including the grant of ten thousand dollars by the Legislature, is *forty-two thousand, four hundred and seven...teen dollars.*

On Tuesday morning, on board the steamboat Delaware, between Fort Mifflin and this city, a passenger from Baltimore was put to bed in the Ladies' Cabin, and de...livered of a fine Child.

A young man, last week, in this city, came to his death from an idle curiosity which led him to attempt the novel experiment of hanging, for the purpose of knowing how it felt. The noose round his neck drawing too close, he strangled—and thus terminated an existence which might have deserved a better fate.

The negro who lately robbed the house of Josiah Tatum, near Woodbury, (N. J.) while the family was at meeting, was ap...prehended in this city on Wednesday last.

On Tuesday last, the body of a man, supposed to have been murdered, was found lying in the Schuylkill dam at the Flat rock. He appeared to be about five feet 7 or 8 inches high, between 35 and 40 years of age: was dressed in a dark sur...tout, waistcoat and pantaloons of superfine cloth. In his pocket book was found a check on the bank of Pennsylvania, No. 410, payable to J. Thompson or bearer, for $29 and 50 cents, the signature torn out. A knife was found in his pocket, with four blades, and I. B. engraved upon the handle.

University of Pennsylvania.—At the late commencement in the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania, 77 stu...dents received the degree of doctor of medicine.

The case of the Commonwealth versus the Rev. William Hogan, for an assault and battery on Mary Connell, which has occupied the Mayor's Court for the las...ten days, was brought to a close on Thurs...day evening. After a short absence, the jury returned with a verdict of *Not Guilty*, and Mrs. Connel to pay the costs.

MIRROR OF LIFE.

TO SHEW THE VERY AGE AND BODY OF THE TIMES, ITS FORM AND PRESSURE.

Subscriptions are now making by the officers of the Navy, to erect a suitable monument to the memory of the late Com...modore Decatur.

The Louisville (Ken.) Advertiser states, that the late paper emission of that state has depreciated 70 per cent.

Crime.—The Attorney-General of a late Court in Pensacola, declared that there was no occasion for a Grand Jury, as no person was imprisoned, charged with offence or crime in that town. This is auspicious to our new territory.

White Slaves.—Two white men, lately convicted of vagrancy in *Christian* county, Kentucky, were sold for three months.—The bidders were two blacks and a white.

The wife of Moses Blowers, of Pompey, (N. Y.) drowned herself in a well, on the 28th ult. in a fit of partial derangement.

Enterprizing Blacks.—The officers and crew of the brig Traveller, which sailed from New-Bedford last week, on a whaling voyage, were all of them *blacks*, with the exception of the *cook*, who was a white man!

The Quebec Gazette of the 28th ult. states that the snow was then three feet deep in that vicinity, and the weather had been for several days like the middle of winter.

The person who was taken up and lodg...ed in Brunswick (New Jersey) Jail, on sus...picion of having cut and robbed the South...ern mail on Wednesday evening last, has been set at liberty.

The Cincinnati Gazette states, that the remains of Mr Piatt, agreeably to his request, have been removed from Washington city to that place.

A new musical entertainment, consist...ing of a set of cards, has been invented, by means of which persons wholly unacquaint...ed with musical composition may compose upwards of 214 millions of waltzes. It is called KALEIDAKOUSTIKON, a name of pe...culiar euphony!

EXTRAORDINARY.—James Bigmore, at Bos...ton, (England) lately undertook to run 50 miles in eight hours, and performed it in seven hours and 26 minutes, of which 40 minutes were em...ployed in taking refreshments. On another occa...sion, he ran from London to Norwich, 112 miles, by the side of a stage coach, in 14 hours!

City of Boston.—An election for Mayor and other city officers, took place at Boston on Monday last. It appears there was no choice of Mayor, Mr. Quincy having 1726 votes—Mr. Otis 1371—Scattering 555—As 1827 were necessary, a new canvass must take place.

It is said that the American consul at St. Barts, has been taken out of his bed in the night, by a police officer, to be examined as a witness. A captain Briggs is also said to ha...t with improper treatment there.

[*Bost. Palladium.*

A heavy loss was sustained at Lloyd's of 100,000*l.* sterling, insured on the ship Thames, which sailed from the Downs on the 30th January for China. She struck off Beachy Head in a violent Hurricane, and after losing all her masts, she drifted to leeward 11 miles, and went ashore under Easbourne.—Twelve of her crew were drowned.—[*N. Y. Nat. Adv.*

Tornado at Washington.—On Friday eve...ning week, the city of Washington was vi...sited by a violent tempest, accompanied by almost total darkness, volumes of dust and rain. Hacks, says the Washington Gazette, were blown over; one pedestrian in F street had his cloak stripped off and carried away; several lost their hats; chimnies were blown down; watch boxes upset; many houses unroofed, and others much injured; some cattle were killed by the destruction of the sheds where they stood, and fences and trees were levelled in every direction.

During the storm on Friday evening week, a Mr. Smalley, residing at the corner of Hester and Norfolk streets, New-York, was struck with lightning while sitting by the fire with a child in his arms, and in...stantly killed. *The child escaped unhurt!*

The house of Mr. A. Van Ranst, at Stuyvesant's Point, was also struck, and out of ten persons in it, eight were slightly in...jured. The report is said to have resem...bled that of an eighteen pounder.

Distressing Calamity by fire!—In Lim...ington, Me. on the morning of the 23d ult. the dwelling house of Mr. David Richard...son, with all its contents, was destroyed by fire, and dreadful to add, Mr. R. and one of his sons 9 years old, were victims of the flames. His wife, with her remaining 6 children, narrowly escaped. Mr. Jacob S. Libby, a promising young man, while en...deavoring to save some property, was, by the falling of one of the chimnies, buried in its ruins. He was removed, but has since expired. By this awful dispensation of Di...vine Providence, Mrs. Richardson is sud...denly deprived of an affectionate husband, and a beloved child.

Melancholy.—The house of Mr. Nathan Mason, of Pendleton District, (S. C.) was consumed by fire, on the 14th ult. during his absence, and *four* out of *five* of his chil...dren, perished in the flames. They were imprudently left alone in the house. The child that escaped the unfortunate fate of the others had to run two miles to give the alarm.

Attempt to poison.—At the last term of the Superior Court of Dinwiddie County, William Browder, a man of intemperate habits, was found guilty of attempting to poison his father-in-law, and sentenced by the court to three years imprisonment in the common jail, and then to be bound to his good behaviour for 12 months. It ap...peared to the satisfaction of the jury that Browder had put a quantity of arsenic in an apple-pye, of which the old man and two others ate; but owing to their swallowing an over dose of poison, the attempt of the villain proved abortive.—*Petersburg Int.*

Suicides.—On Wednesday of week be...fore last, Mr. Francis Benjamin, for many years constable and collector for the town of Manlius, (N. Y.) drowned himself in a fit of insanity, as is supposed. On Friday, the 24th ult. a man named Malthop hung him...self in the village of Painesville, Ohio.—John Bard, of Latterkenny, (Penn.) aged 24 years, being angry with his mother, last week, hung himself with a bridle.

Sacrifice of Property.—A tract of land situated about four miles west of this town, on Sherman's Creek, containing 10 acres, with gristmill, a dwelling house, &c. the pro...perty of Philip Gensler, was sold last week in Carlisle, by the Sheriff of Cumberland county, for *sixty-five dollars.* It is said this property cost its late proprietor, for the purchase of the land, building of the mill, &c. nearly $1000. [*Perry Forrester.*

Plattsburgh, N. Y. March 23.

On Thursday, the 14th March inst. Mr. John Thompson, was killed in Chesterfield, by a large tree falling on him in the woods—notwithstanding the tree was large, the man retained his senses while laying under it *and talked with his companion, who cut the tree twice in two and rolled the log off.* Mr. Thompson survived about five or six hours after taken up.

Manlius, (N. Y.) April 3.

Melancholy Death.—Francis Benjamin, many years a resident of this village, put a period to his existence, by drowning, on Friday morning last. The deceased was subject to fits, which were generally suc...ceeded by a temporary derangement. On the Monday preceding his death, he had two violent attacks, which are supposed to have seriously impaired his intellect. He rose early on Friday, was silent and thoughtful, laid his watch and penknife up...on the mantle piece, left the house, and walked deliberately into the fatal stream, which wafted his spirit from the tempes...uous shores of this fleeting world, into the boundless ocean of eternity!

Niagara, (N. Y.) March 4.

The Lover's Leap.—A melancholy catas...trophe took place on Tuesday last, near the Albion Mills, District of Gore. A young woman who had for some time been an in...mate in the house of John Secord, Esq. in a fit of distraction, threw herself over a pre...cipice, said to be 100 feet high. Although she was not dashed to pieces, (a sight have been expected,) the concussion was so great that she survived but a few hours.—It is said she had set her affections on a young man, who had not made a proper return, which was the cause.

The Evening Post.

PHILADELPHIA.

Saturday, April 13, 1822.

The advance payment for the second six months, having been due for some time, we indulge a hope that our patrons will give us an early call, or leave their respective dues, at their dwellings, and thereby prevent the too frequent use of those disagreeble words, "*Call again!*"—We should be pleased to hear from our friends who reside at a distance from the city, either through the post-office, or any other channel most convenient to them.

While we lament the schism that has lately taken place in the congregation of St. Mary's Church, and would willingly favour such suggestions as might tend to conciliate the affections of the two parties, yet we cannot give publicity to any article that could possibly wound the feelings of either.

CONGRESS.—A joint resolution from the Senate, which has passed the House of Representatives, selects the eighth day of May for the termination of the first session of the seventeenth Congress. There are numerous bills now under consideration, and many must necessarily be laid over until the next meeting of Congress.

THE PRINTER'S GUIDE, as published by C. S. Van Winkle, of New-York, may be had of Mr. Adam Ramage, Library street, at the reduced price of $1 50.

THE SPY.—This work has already passed through three editions, and promises fair to outlive the novelty which commonly attend new publications. It has long been a subject of regret, that the history of our country, and the memorable events which occurred during the revolution, so fruitful in themselves for the pen of genius, should be suffered to pass away, with the great patriots and statesmen of whose renown fame speaks in terms of admiration, and none so poor to do them reverence.

A New Orleans paper of the 23d ult. contains a letter from lieut Kearney, of the United States brig Enterprize, dated off Cape Antonio, March 7, that he had parted with his convoy of sixty sail bound to the United States, near the double head shot-Keys. On the day of the date of his letter his vessel being disguised, a twelve-oared barge was discovered in pursuit; but soon afterwards she made a retreat towards Mangrove Point.

He immediately dispatched his boats, under the command of Lieut. M'Intosh, who succeeded in capturing, up the creek, four boats and two launches, (sloop rigged.)

The Enterprize proceeded on a cruise in the Bay of Mexico.

We learn, says the New-York Gazette, by the ship Ariosto, arrived on Thursday last, from Africa, that at the time of her sailing there were 250 slave vessels on the Coast.

A letter from an officer on board the U. S. schr. Nonsuch, to a friend in New-Brunswick, says—"A duel took place on the 4th February, at Port Mahon, between Midshipmen Worthington and Guilleard, in consequence of a misunderstanding occasioned by Midshipman Purveyance, all of the United States frigate Constitution, in which Mr. Worthington was shot dead the first fire, and the latter escaped without injury."

DRAMATIC SUMMARY.

WALNUT STREET.—Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson's benefit was numerously and fashionably attended on Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Wallack's house, last evening, displayed the fashion and beauty of our city, whose smiles are at all times flattering, and generally distinguishes the deserving candidate for public favour. Monsieur Labasse, (pupil and member of the royal academy of Paris,) and Monsieur Tatin, are engaged for two nights and will perform in a new Ballet called Jealousy in a Seraglio; or the Generous Sultan, on Monday evening next. The Theatre will close for the season on Friday, with a new play called the Spy; or a Tale of the Neutral Ground, founded on the popular novel of that name.

PRUNE STREET.—This evening, will be presented, for the first time, a new melo-drama from Lord Byron's Don Juan, entitled the Sultana, or a Trip to Turkey. We are informed, that Mr. Forrest, the Roscius of the Philadelphia stage, intends making his debut in the character of Richard III. on Tuesday eve.

READING, (Pa.)—The ball-room belonging to Mr. Fricker, has been converted into a Theatre, for a few nights, under the management of Messrs. Herbert & Williams. On the 6th inst. it opened with the comedy of the Soldier's Daughter, and the farce of Fortune's Frolic. A writer in one of the Reading papers, speaking of Mrs. Williams, says, "from the time of her first appearance in Philadelphia, she has been a favourite with those whom it was Cooke's pride and Kean's ambition to please."

NEW-YORK.—Mr. Philipps made his first appearance in the present engagement, on Wednesday night, as Count Belino in the Devil's Bridge. A Pas de Duex, by the Misses Durangs, and the farce of the Turnpike Gate, concluded the entertainment. On Thursday eve, was performed the new drama of Lochiel, or the Exile's Return—Flora Lochiel by Mrs. Holman—after which the farce of the Prize. or 2, 5, 3, 8.

BOSTON.—Mr. Duff took his benefit on Monday, when was performed for the first time, as revived, the Exile of Siberia, with the farce of the Worst Thieves, and the interlude of Sylvester Daggerwood, in which Mr. Duff gave imitations of several distinguished performers. Mr. Kilner, at the solicitation of a number of his friends, and in consequence of a recent disappointment, was induced to take a second benefit on Wednesday last, on which occasion was produced the comedy called the Way to Keep him, or a Man in Love with his Wife, with the drama of the Forest of Rosenwald. Mr. and Mrs. Parker's benefit was announced for last evening.

SAVANAH.—The theatre opened on the 2d inst. for one night only, for the purpose of giving the citizens an opportunity to attend Mrs. Gilfert's benefit—she selected the comedy of the Jealous Wife and Timour the Tartar; the parts of Mrs. Oakley and Zorilda, were performed by herself.

FORRISON.—Mr. Richard Wroughton, late of Drury Lane Theatre, died on the 7th of Feb. aged 74 years. He was an actor of the old school, and always maintained a most respectable rank.

The Saturday Mails.

NEW-YORK, April 12.

From St. Salvador.—Captain Beard, passenger in the Bordeaux, from St. Salvador, confirms the report that a disturbance had broken out at Pernambuco, between the European and Brazilian troops, and some blood shed.

From Maracaibo.—The brig Superb arrived yesterday from Maracaibo, whence she sailed 11th ult. We learn that on the 5th of March a party of Spanish Guirallas, amounting to 180, from Coro, attacked the picket at Alto Gracia, and beat them in. The Spaniards lost 5 killed, and 8 or 10 wounded—the Colombians none. Fifty deserters came into Alto Gracia, and reported that the Spaniards at Coro, were in a starving state.

The Maracaibo troops under gen. Hares, 1100 strong, and the Irish legion, 250 strong, took up the line of march on the 6th for Coro. Bolivar was said to be at Santa Fee. Com. Belluche's squadron was destined to act against Coro, which place, together with Porto Cavello, was in a state of blockade.

There was an embargo at Maracaibo for twenty days, which was raised on the departure of the fleet. All the possession of the merchants had been taken for the support of the troops, and the merchants were paid in government paper, which cost 25 per cent discount.

Markets very dull: produce high and very searce, owing to the lower class of people being impressed into government service.

LATEST FROM ENGLAND.

By the arrival of the regular packet ship Columbia, captain Rogers, in 37 days from Liverpool, files of London and Liverpool papers to the 3d of March, have been received.

There appears to be no news of moment. The papers from the continent says if any important events occur, they will not take place before March. The intelligence from Spain is not so late as received here via Gibraltar.

The papers are principally filled with the proceedings of the British parliament, and debates on the state of the country. The ministry hav. proposed to amend the agricultural interest, by the lowering of rents and the gradual better adjustment on the part of the farmer, of his outlay and expences, to his production and income.

It is hinted that the King of England is negociating for a Princess of Denmark.

A rumor prevails that the Bank will at length be induced to discount paper at four instead of five per cent.

Several petitions have been presented in the house of commons, from the Radicals in different parts of the Kingdom, in favour of Hunt, confined in Ilchester goal.

The French Minister of War has published a letter honourably exculpating the 72d regiment of artillery, from any participation in the conspiracy of Nantes. The Minister considers, that all fears of internal commotion in France have wholly subsided.

The venerable Earl of Egmont, aged 85, died on Monday, Feb. 25. He is succeeded in his titles and English and Irish estates, by his only son John Viscount Percival.

The Spanish Cortes have recently decreed, that all Spanish vessels employed in the slave trade are to be forfeited, and the *owners, fitters out*, masters, and officers condemned to ten years' labour on the public works. All foreigners entering Spanish ports with slaves on board, shall be liable to the same penalties; and all slaves found on board shall be set free. We trust these regulations will be seriously carried into effect.

Accounts from Paris state, that the Greeks had taken Athens from the Turks, and hoisted the standard of independence upon its ramparts.

The debates on the various parts of the law respecting the press in France, have finally closed in the chamber of deputies.

Doubts are expressed by letters received in London from Paris, that the law respecting the liberty of the press, will not receive the sanction of the Chamber of Peers.

The continental papers are devoid of much interest. An article dated Frankfort, Feb. 17, says, that Prince Cantacuzene was on his way to St. Petersburg, charged with a mission on the part of the provisional government of Greece, established at Argos, to implore the support of the emperor Alexander, for the Independence of the Greeks, and to submit to the Russian government the decision agreed to by the congress of Argos, on the subject of the introduction of a monarchial constitution, the basis of which are only to be established with the consent of the Great European powers. Letters from Vienna announce that *great events may be expected in March; and that war between Russia and the Porte appears inevitable*; but a thousand letters have said so before.

Mr. Wilmot the British under secretary of state, has denied, in the house of commons a statement which appeared in the London Globe, that instructions had been sent to the West India Islands, that the ports should be opened to the *direct* trade of the United States, upon the principles of reciprocity proposed by the American government.

We have seen a letter from Paris, dated 6 o'clock on Thursday last, in which it is most positively asserted, that despatches had reached the French Government the night before, announcing that the people of Sicily had risen simultaneously, and massacred nearly the whole of the Austrian troops in that island.

A person of consequence at Berlin is said to have received a letter from Vienna, informing him that the Austrian Cabinet, dissatisfied with the Answer of the Divan to the note of the mediating Powers, has declared, through Count Lutzow that the free and unrestricted adoption of all the articles that compose the Ultimatum of the Russian Cabinet can alone insure the preservation of peace; that whatever be the definitive decision of the Sublime Porte, it was notified to the Divan that it would not in any manner interrupt the harmony which subsists for the maintenance of peace in Europe, between Austria, Russia, and England.

SITUATION OF IRELAND.

The state of unhappy Ireland, continues to grow more and more deplorable. We cannot possibly give extracts this evening, and must content ourselves by stating briefly, that murders, robberies, and burnings, become more frequent every week; and the commission of these crimes continue to be attended by the most aggravating circumstances. In the mean time, the strong arm of the government has thus far been exerted in vain to repress the blood-chilling outrages.

The Special Commission at Cork, had just closed their session, and on the last day, SENTENCE OF DEATH WAS PASSED ON THIRTY-FIVE OF THE WHITE-BOYS! Many were sentenced to be transported. Some of the worst of the offenders were ordered for an early execution; and it was distinctly stated, that the pardoning power would not be extended to one of them, unless a change was effected in the disposition and conduct of the people, so that tranquility should be restored. Three of the thirty-five, were recommended to mercy by the jury.

Disturbances in Ireland.—A numerous meeting of the Magistracy of the County of Cork was held on Thursday last, to consider the expediency of addressing the Lord Lieutenant to extend the Insurrection Act to that County.

A privy council assembled at the Castle on Tuesday last, when it was determined to place the city and county of Limerick, under the operation of the Insurrection act.

The following account of the state of Tipperary, appears in the Limerick Chronicle of Wednesday:—

Last Saturday, at so early an hour as 4 o'clock in the evening, a barbarous murder was committed in the streets of Tipperary, on a man of the name of John Shea, from Aberlow, by four villains, who beset and almost instantly killed him with stones.—There was a very prompt pursuit by the police, but the murderers have escaped for the present. On the night of Wednesday last, a house on the Fairgreen of Holecross was consumed to ashes within the space of an hour from the first appearance of the flames. The farm was lately taken by Mr. Bourke, the present occupier."

London, Feb. 28.

The Paris journals of Tuesday last, have arrived this morning. On the preceeding day, the Chamber of Deputies was occupied with a project on the Quarantine Laws; the consideration of which was further adjourned.

"*Palermo, Jan. 31.*

"A corps of 1000 Austrian troops arrived in this town about eight days ago. Public tranquillity has not been disturbed one instant since the discovery of the tanners' plot (*conciatori.*) Nine of the conspirators have been shot, among whom were a priest, named Villa, and a notary. Other individuals have been condemned to the same fate, but they have not yet suffered.

The French Papers of Sunday are chiefly occupied with the law proceedings on the subject of *Bonaparte's* will; the case was opened on Saturday, and a large auditory were anxious to hear the proceedings, when the King's Counsel rose, and strangely disappointed the curious spectators by the following motion:—"As the publicity of this cause might bring with it serious inconveniences, we require that it be pleaded with closed doors, on the day which it shall please the Court to determine."—The Court being of opinion that the public discussion of this cause would lead to *serious inconveniences*, ordered that the pleadings should take place with *closed doors* on Monday.

M. Dupuy, formerly an officer of Cavalry, and at present merchant at Nantes, has been arrested by the gendarmerie, and confined in the prison at Bouffray, as implicated in the plot some time since discovered in that city.

Aix-la-Chapelle, Feb. 22.—It is said that Prince Hardenberg has received important despatches from St. Petersburgh, brought here by Mr. Bracon, the English Cabinet Messenger, who arrived at Berlin on the 14th inst. from the Russian capital.

The following paragraph appears in the *Gazette de France*:—At a masked ball, which took place at Cassel on the 31st of January, the Prince Royal being pursued by several masks, and apprehensive of being recognibed, changed masks with his valet de chambre. The latter was accosted by the persons who had followed the prince, and had the imprudence to accept from them a glass of grog. He was immediately taken ill, and expired the next day. The letter of the 9th February, which announces this event, states, that up to that day no traces had been discovered of the parties implicated in this crime."

Rennes, Feb. 17.—We know not what news or what fears can have suddenly filled our authorities with alarm, but for some days past, all that we see looks as if Rennes were to be the theatre of some event. The military posts are doubled; people are forbidden to pass, after six o'clock, opposite the powder magazine; a part of the military force is constantly on foot. The gendarmerie, which does the duty in the city, is augmented; we meet with it every where in the avenues; the public places, in and out of uniform, in the streets, and at the doors of the houses; it goes to meet the carriages, continually visits the hotels, seeks every where for information, and appears to be looking after some individuals which it shows all possible eagerness to discover.

Public Sale Report.

J. and W. LIPPINCOTTS & CO. Auctioneers.

Cargo of Ship Adriana, from Canton, April 11.
[Terms, 6 months.]

TEAS—295 chests Young Hyson, 85 a 95½ lb.
104 do. do. do. 82 a 85 —
385 ½ do. do. do. 87 a 91 —
50 chests Hyson, 1,01½ —
12 chests, 6 ½ do. Imperial, 1,26 —
25 10-catty boxes do. 1,30½ —
11 chests, 24 ½-do. 23 10-catty boxes } Gun Powder, 1,28 a 1,39 —
279 chests Hyson Skin, 55 a 55½ —
10 chests Pecco, 1,00½ —
50 do. Pouchong, 75 a 78 —
CASSIA—40 boxes, 40 —
600 matts, 37½ —

From April 6th to 13th, 1822.

SUGAR—28 hhds St. Croix (prime) $14, a 14,50
18 do. New-Orleans, 10,60 a 11,10 cwt.
11 do. Porto Rico, 10,00 a 10,05 —
8 bbls. do. do. 8,80 a 10,00 —
RUM—26 hhds. 95 a 98 gal.
RAISINS—75 boxes Bunch Muscatell 3,25 box.
25 do. do. 2,90 a 2,95 —
LEMONS—85 boxes Sicily, 2,00 a 2,55 —
INDIGO—2 cases Bengal 2,35 a 2,36 lb.
GINGER—15 kegs ground 4 a 4½ —
TWINE—32 boxes fine Calcutta, 24½ a 26 —
3 do. coarse do. 23 —
CHOCOLATE—25 boxes Boston No. 1, 12 a 12½—
DEMIJOHNS—200 1-gallon (wickered) 30 a 31 pc.
WINE—15 casks Lisbon, 1,20 a 1,25 gall.
TOBACCO—16 hhds. Kentucky, 3,50 a 4,50 cwt.
9 do. do. 2,23 a 3,00 —
90 bales do. 3,62½ —
LIQUORICE—5 cases Ball, 15 lb.

MARRIED,

On Tuesday evening, by the Rev. John P. Peckworth, Mr. FRANCIS C. NICHOLS, to Miss CATHARINE CONWELL.

On Thursday evening, the 5th inst. by Mr. Peter Keyser, Mr ELIJAH MITCHELL, to Miss HANNAH K. LYND, daughter of Mr. James Lynd, both of this city.

On third day, the 2d inst. at Friends' North Meeting-House, JAMES WALTON, of Mount-Holly, to HANNAH R. daughter of the late Jacob Burton, of Gloucester county, N. J.

On Thursday, the 11th inst. by the Reverend Dr. Sargent, Mr. SAMUEL WILLIAMSON, Jun. to Miss MARIA, daughter of George Rush—all of this place.

On Thursday evening, by the Rev. Mr. Harold, Mr. FELIX CHAGOURNES, of New-York, to MARY LOUISA, eldest daughter of Charles Brugiere, of this city

On the 11th inst. by the Rev. T. H. Skinner, Dr. JOSIAH C. SKINNER, of Edenton, North Carolina, to Miss CHARLOTTE DARRACH, of Philadelphia.

On the 11th inst. by the Rev. Mr Hyden, Mr. JOHN MARCUS AURELIUS BESSON, Merchant, to Miss ELIZABETH, daughter of Charles Stewart.

DIED,

On Sunday morning, in the 49th year of his age, Mr. JOHN STOP.

On Sunday morning, at 4 o'clock, Mrs. ELIZABETH SICARD, aged 61.

On Wednesday night, Mr. BENEDICT SNYDER, stocking weaver.

On the 28th ult. Mrs. MARY FOX, wife of George Fox, Esq. and the late Gen. Philemon Dickinson, of this city.

On the 4th inst. Miss ELIZABETH BUTTFIELD, a native of England, aged 37.

On Thursday morning, EDWARD FOX, Esq. Secretary of the American Fire Insurance Company, aged 70.

DIED, of pulmonary consumption, on Friday, 5th inst. at his late residence at the village of Black Horse, N. J. Mr JOSEPH BROGNARD, late of this city, merchant, in the 36th year of his age.

On the 9th December last, in Bremen, GERHARD GEISSE, aged 33 years, late of this city.

In the borough of Chester, Pa. on Saturday last, ISABELLA BEVAN, a member of the Society of Friends, aged 55 years.

At Baltimore, Lieut. BENJAMIN VINING, an accomplished officer of the U. States' army, and formerly of this city.

In London, Feb. 3, suddenly, Mrs. GARRICK, relick of George Garrick, Esq. (brother of the late celebrated David Garrick.)

ALMANAC.

1822. APRIL.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets.	High Water	Moon's Phases.
13 Saturday,	5 30	6 30	6 17	
14 Sunday,	5 28	6 32	7 14	
15 Monday,	5 27	6 33	8 29	
16 Tuesday,	5 26	6 34	9 50	
17 Wednesday,	5 25	6 35	11 0	
18 Thursday,	5 23	6 37	11 57	
19 Friday,	5 22	6 38	0 20	

NEW HARDWARE.

JUST received, and for sale by the subscriber, a general assortment of FRESH GOODS among which are, English Waggon Boxes, Superior Cast Steel and Blistered Steel, warranted, Anvils and Vices, Curry Combs of all sorts, Shovels and Spades, Sadirons, Chain Traces, Saws, Sparrowbills, Iled screws, Single and double barrel Fowling Pieces, Shoemakers' Pincers, Nippers, Hammers and Awl Blades, Cupboard, Chest, Desk, Trunk and Nob Locks, Single and Double bolt Padlocks, Drawer, Dead, and Horse Locks, Needles, Knitting Pins, Tin'd Rivets, Mackarel, Herring and Shad Twine, Thumb Latches, Bolts, Straw Knives, Patent Lamps, Candlesticks, Frying Pans, Gimblets, Plints, Knives and Forks, Small Cutlery, and a variety of other articles, in the Hardware line. BENJAMIN HORNOR,
april 13—tf No. 47 Market street.

TO LET,

A two story House in Sixth street, on the west side, first above the Milipond Bridge, containing two rooms on each floor, with two garrets, (one of which is plastered,) two good dry cellars, and a pump of excellent water at the door, in a healthy pleasant situation, one mile and a half from the city, opposite the Phœnix tavern.—Enquire on the premises, or of Mr. Esherick, No. 9 North Fifth street. april 13—tf

LEGHORN HATS.

JUST received from Leghorn, in the brig Draco, via Boston, and other late arrivals, at MRS. KNEELAND'S Fashionable Leghorn and Split-straw Bonnet Store, No. 9, North Second Street.

Thirty cases LEGHORN HATS, making a full and complete assortment of every description, which will be sold either by the case or in lots to suit purchasers. All orders for the above article, either made up or otherwise, with all kinds of trimmings, &c. will be supplied at the shortest notice, and executed in the most faithfully

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No. 75 MARKET STR

DRY GOODS

On Wednesday morning, at 9 o'clock, a credit of 90 days, for approved

A large assortment of fresh imp[orted] and seasonable DRY GOODS, in lots.

Also, a quantity of Domestic Shirting, Sheetings, Cassinets, &c.

On Saturday morning, the 20th April, o'clock, will be sold, on a credit

An extensive assortment of DRY GOODS, suited to the season.

GOODWIN'S PRIZE ST.

SECOND SERIES.

UNION CANAL LOTTE

9	13	27,	$8:
13	15	27,	1
12	21	27,	
*9	15	27,	
9	21	27,	
13	15	19,	10
*9	13	21,	100
13	15	21,	100
*9	15	21,	100

All marked * sold at this fortunate Office corner of Third and Walnut streets.
april 1—tf

Splendid distribution of P

At Gibbs's Office.

ON THURSDAY afternoon, the UN NAL LOTTERY, commenced a drawing—The following is the pleasing No. 9. 13. 27, the Capita. Pri

5000 DOLLARS,

Was, as usual, sold at the Temple 4½ SOUTH THIRD STREET, to a g this city, who wishes his name to remai This is not the 1st or 2d *Highest Prize* Office—the fortunate holder received fir his prize yesterday. Several other p have been sold, the numbers of which are rained, owing to the hurry of busine holders of all prizes are invited to call and the Cash—those that have small prizes ar to call and renew them for tickets in the SYLVANIA STATE LOTTERY, 2d Cla drawing—price of tickets $6.

No. 13. 21, 27, a prize of *EIGHT HUND DOLLARS*, the 3d capital drawn, also my office. april 13

P. CANFIELD'S

PRIZE LIST OF THE DRAWING O

Union Canal Lottery—2d Cl

NEW SERIES.

Which took place on the 11th of April, 1

1st 2nd 3d 4th

Nos. drawn 27—13—9—15—

Which gives the following result to the for adventurers:

Tickets,	Cont'g	3 Nos.	Being the	A P
2591	27 13 9		1st, 2d & 3d drawn	$
3272*	27 13 15		1st, 2d & 4th	"
3341	27 13 21		1st, 2d & 5th	"
2622*	27 9 13		1st, 3d & 4th	"
2691*	27 9 21		1st, 3d & 5th	"
3566*	27 15 21		1st, 4th & 5th	"
279	13 19 15		2d, 3d & 4th	"
285	13 9 21		2d, 3d & 5th	"
3266*	18 15 21		2d, 4th & 5th	"
2616	9 15 21		3d, 4th & 5th	"

10 Tickets of 3 Nos. ea. which drew tog'r
Also were determined by the above 5 dra numbers, 250 prizes of two numbers, viz:
Tickets, containing 2 Nos. ea. a prize of

25	do.	do.	27 13	12 are	30
25	do.	do.	27 9	12 "	30
25	do.	do.	27 15	12 "	30
25	do.	do.	27 21	12 "	300
25	do.	do.	13 9	12 "	30
25	do.	do.	13 15	12 "	30
23	do.	do.	13 31	12 "	30
25	do.	do.	9 15	12 "	30
25	do.	do.	9 21	12 "	30
25	do.	do.	15 21	12 "	30
1500	do.	27—13—9—15—21 each		6 "	900

160 Prizes amounting to $2

All Sold at FORTUNE'S HOME.

P. CANFIELD'S,

Pennsylvania State Lottery Office,

No. 127, CHESNUT STREET,

Nearly opposite and between the Post-Office and United States Bank.

Where the cash will be paid for the prizes as soon as presented, without discount.

P. CANFIELD returns his sincere acknowledgments to his friends and the public for the patronage he has received in the second class of the UNION CANAL LOTTERY, new series, and solicits a continuance of it, in the tenth class, the scheme of which is really a splendid one, and is to commence drawing on Wednesday next, and continue drawing regularly at least once a week, and on each day not less than 500 tickets will be drawn. Price of tickets $6 each, shares in proportion, and will soon be advanced to $7 each.
april 13—tf

Union Canal Lottery—10th Class.

To commence drawing on Tuesday, the 16th of April—Blanks and Prizes to be drawn,

HIGHEST PRIZE—$10,000.

SCHEME.

1 Prize of	$10,000	is	$10,000
2	5,000		10,000
10	1,000		10,000
20	500		10,000
100	100		10,000
100	50		5,000
300	20		6,000
6500	6		39,000
7033 Prizes			$100,000

12967 Blanks—20,000 Tickets.

Prizes payable in 60 days after the drawing is concluded: Subject, as usual, to a deduction of fifteen per cent.

The first 3,00 blanks which shall be drawn from the wheel, to be entitled to $6 each. Blanks as well as Prizes to be drawn, and all the prizes are to be placed in the wheel before the drawing commences, except that of $10,000, and one of those of $5,000, the latter of which will be placed in the wheel when 6,000 tickets are drawn, and the first when 12,000 are d

Present price of Whole Tickets $6—Shares in proportion—For sale at

GIBBS' LUCKY OFFICE,

No. 4½, South Third street.

The Cash will be paid for all prizes sold at the above Office, as soon as drawn—Orders for Tickets (post paid) thankfully received and promptly attended to.—Clubs dealt with on the most liberal terms.—All lottery information gratis.
april 13—tf

THE SATURDAY MAGAZINE,

PUBLISHED by E. LITTELL, No. 74 Second Street, Philadelphia; and by R. NORRIS HENRY, No. 97 Pearl Street, New-York. CONTENTS. MISCELLANY—Shelley and Byron, Confessions of an English Opium Eater; Biblical Literature. BIOGRAPHY—Sir William Jones; VARIETY—Cardinal D'Este; Menage and Marigny, the will be [illegible]es IV.; James I—SCIENCE—Per[illegible] married." [illegible]cal examination; Prem[illegible] V

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iety's the very spice of life,
ives it all its flavour."

FRIENDSHIP.

en is e leaves that on the trees do grow,
In osp'rous state much love they show;
... adversity! Then they,
... om trees, in Autumn, fall away.
... who hath a friend indeed;
... happy he, who none doth need.

...the Enigma published on Saturday last.

...-MAN.

SCRIPTURAL QUESTION.

...was it that Methusela, although he ...o have been the oldest man that ...d, yet died before his father.

...sident West being subject to the gout, ...cked his right hand while he was ... his great picture of Death on the ...rse; but this did not check his ar... he proceeded with his left hand, ...e whole was finished without any as...

ANCIENT PREJUDICES.

...ave read a few old books, and am ...display my little learning, as he who ...one guinea is proud to show it. I ...herefore say, and relate the anecdote ...ous and important, that in China, in ...nteenth and fourteenth centuries, ... gold nor silver were permitted in ..., but only paper, which was of a ... colour, and stamped with the im...al. Foreign merchants were oblig...e their coin at the custom houses ...nge for these bank notes."

...APARTE always considered Moreau ...nemy. To beget a more friendly ...tion, he tried to attach him with the ...of relationship. He with this design ...ed an article to be inserted in the pa... circulating a report that Moreau was ...arry Napoleon's sister Caroline.— ...aparte purposely put this paper into ...'s hands, and asked him what he ...t of it? Moreau said nothing, but ... of something else. From this it ap... to Buonaparte that Moreau declined ...er. The relator of this anecdote af... that had Buonaparte succeeded in ...manœuvre, he would have declared ...self Emperor directly after the battle of ...rengo.

"This House to let enquire next door."

Thus read Bannister to Wilson—on the ... of a dwelling, which had been appa...ly unoccupied for some years. "I'll ...e some enquiry about it," said Charles. ...ill you be so kind as to inform me, sir, ... is the annual rent of that empty ...se?"—"Fifty pounds besides taxes." ...Will you let any thing with it?"—"No, ...y do you *ax?*"—"Because if you *let it* ...e it will tumble down."

THE WITTY SCHOLAR.

"Why did Adam bite the apple?" said a school-master to a country boy. "Because he had no knife," was the reply.

Gunpowder inflamed without a Spark,

From experiments made in the laboratory of the French Royal Institution, it has been found that if gunpowder be mixed with pulverized glass, felspar, and particularly with harder substances, it may be inflamed by being struck violently on an anvil, though faced with copper, and with a copper hammer.

To the Editors of the Saturday Evening Post.

I have taken the liberty to transcribe the following anecdotes for the perusal of your readers. Should you consider them worthy a place in your paper, I shall continue to select others of merit, from time to time, for your service.

Yours, &c. W. T.

Selections from the Percy Anecdotes.

MOZART'S REQUIEM.—The great composer, Mozart, was so absorbed in music, that he was a child in every other respect. Like all weak-minded people, he was extremely apprehensive of death; and it was only by incessant application to his favourite study that he prevented his spirits from sinking totally under the fears of approaching dissolution. At all other times he laboured under a profound melancholy, during which he composed some of his best pieces, particularly his celebrated *Requiem*, the circumstances attending it were remarkable. One day, when his spirits were unusually oppressed, a stranger, of a tall, dignified appearance, was introduced.—His manners were grave, and impressive. He told Mozart that he came from a person who did not wish to be known, to request he would compose a solemn Mass, as a requiem for the soul of a friend, whom he had recently lost, and whose memory he was desirous of commemorating by this solemn service. Mozart undertook the task, and engaged to have it completed in a month. The stranger begged to know what price he set upon his work, and immediately paying him one hundred ducats, he departed. The mystery of this visit seemed to have a very strong effect upon the mind of the musician. He brooded over it for some time, and then suddenly calling for writing materials, began to compose with extraordinary ardour. This application, however, was more than his strength would support, it brought on fainting fits, and his increasing illness obliged him to suspend his work. "I am writing this Requiem for myself," said he, "it will serve for my own ..." and this impression ne... of the month the mysterious stranger appeared, and demanded the Requiem. "I have found it impossible," said Mozart, "to keep my word; the work has interested me more than I expected, and I have extended it beyond my first design. I shall require another month to finish it." The stranger made no objection, but observing, that for this additional trouble it was but just to increase the premium, laid down fifty ducats more, and promised to return at the time appointed. Astonished at his whole proceeding, Mozart ordered a servant to follow this singular personage, and, if possible, to find out who he was—the servant, however, lost sight of him, and was obliged to return as he went. Mozart, now more than ever, persuaded that he was a messenger from the other world, sent to warn him that his end was approaching, applied with fresh zeal to the Requiem, and in spite of the exhausted state both of body and mind, he completed it before the end of the month. At the appointed day, the stranger returned, the Requiem was finished, but Mozart was no more!

LITERARY RESENTMENT.

Virgil, in his second book of the Georgics, had bestowed very high eulogiums on the fertile territory of *Nole* in Campania; but the inhabitants of that city not choosing to allow their waters to run thro' his lands, he erased *Nole* and put *Ora* in its place. Dante also placed his master, Brunetto, who had offended him, in his "Inferno." Such is the vengeance of Poets!

EXPENSIVE JOKE.

Charles Cotton, the author of Virgil Travestied, inserted a joke in that poem which cost him dearly. His sacrilegious wit, could not spare the sacred character of his grandmother's ruff, which he ridiculed in a couplet. A stroke of the old lady's pen, however, revenged her own wrongs, and those of the Bard of Mantua, at once, for she struck Cotton out of an estate of 4000 pounds a year, which she had bequeathed to him in her will.

FRENCH SCHOOL.

CHARLES KLOTZ returns his grateful thanks to the citizens of Philadelphia, for the encouragement he has received in this city, and hopes to deserve a continuance of public confidence by his assiduity and attention. He has opened a French Evening School, at his house No. 173 PINE STREET, for the instruction of Young Ladies and Gentlemen, at separate hours, in this useful Language. Terms, $5 per quarter, to be paid half in advance.

Lessons given in private families and Seminaries. C. K. is employed for the tuition of the French Language in two of the most respectable Seminaries in this city, where every satisfaction will be given as to his capacity.

march 23—6m

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Silk, Woollen, and Cotton Dyer, &c. &c.

CONTINUES at the old established stand, No. 31 UNION STREET—where all orders in his line will be punctually attended to.

☞ Cloth, Silk Dresses and Shawls, &c. dyed to any shade or pattern, at a short notice, and at very moderate prices. feb 2—tf

LEATHER STORE.

ABRAHAM WINNEMORE, at No. 55 PINE STREET, Philadelphia, has constantly on hand, an assortment of LEATHER, which he can dispose of as low, for cash or approved notes, as can be obtained in the city.

oct 30—5m

The Novelist's Library, Vol. I.

JUST published, by HICKMAN & HAZZARD, No. 121 Chesnut street, THE NOVELIST'S LIBRARY. Vol I. containing the *History of Nourjahad*, by Mrs. F. Sheridan, with a Biographical Preface, and embellished with a handsome frontispiece. Price to subscribers, 50 cts. per vol. sewed—to non-subscribers, 62½ cts. per vol.

Our friends and the public are respectfully informed, that we intend to publish, in a neat and uniform manner, two editions 32mo, and 8vo. vols. of the most popular tales, among which are, Johnson's Rasselas, Voltaire's Zadig, Almoran and Hamet, Tales of the Castle, Fairy Tales, &c. Each work to be embellished with an elegant frontispiece.

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TEN cases of LEGHORN, containing an assortment of Mens', Womens' and Childrens' Hats and Bonnets, which will be sold by the case, dozen or otherwise, as low as they can be bought in the city.

ALSO,

Fashionable Winter Bonnets, White Chip and American Straw do. Feathers, Flowers, Ribbands, Trimmings, &c.

1 case super. black and colored Bombazeens,
1 do. Elegant Merino Shawls and Scarfs,
3 do. Nankin and Canton Crapes,
1 do. new stile Merino pattern Furniture Chintz,
Irish Linens, Sheetings, and Diapers,
An assortment of French and India Silks, Lace Veils, Shawls, &c.
4 4 Ingrain Carpeting, 4-4 English Ingrain Hemp do. a new and superior article.

With a variety of other articles in the Dry Goods and Military line. dec 22—tf

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MRS. S. informs her friends and the public in general, that she continues her establishment at No. 94 South Third street, where may be had, all the latest English and American publications.

In consequence of the present scarcity of money, all subscriptions commenced after the first of February, 1822, will be at $5 per year, $2 75 for 6 months, and $1 50 per quarter—Payable in advance.

N. B. Catalogues of the Library are just published, in which are included all the works. feb 23—tf

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N. B. A Register of Real Estate, &c. kept open for inspection and insertion. Twenty five cents charge for an entry. Jan. 12—6m

A. NICHOLLS, Saw-Maker,

No. 118 SOUTH FRONT STREET,

HAS lately commenced manufacturing SAWS of various descriptions, such as Cast steel and German Hand and Pannel Saws, Cast steel and German Iron-back Saws, Brass-back Saws, &c. Wood Saw Webs, Breaking, Turning and Chair Webs, Lock and Key-hole Saws, Circular Saws, &c. &c.

Circular Saws, with Spindle complete, got up in the neatest manner.

Cotton Gin Saws, made to any pattern or order.

All the above Saws, in point of temper and workmanship, is warranted superior to any imported, which will be sold, wholesale or retail, cheap for cash. Also, on hand, a Stock of MECHANICS TOOLS, in general. feb 2—tf

NEW ESTABLISHMENT.

Mechanics' Register, or House of Call.

A REGISTER, for the benefit of Mechanics of every description, is opened at the CHESNUT WARD HOTEL, kept by JOHN CLULEY, back of No. 3, South Fourth Street.

An establishment of this kind has long been desired by this respectable part of the community.

Regular Books of Entry will be kept by the proprietor, FREE OF EXPENSE. Employers wanting workmen, or workmen in want of employment, can have their names and wants registered—thus a central point will be formed, adapted to the convenience and promising to promote the interests of all parties. Attention and a desire to serve and oblige shall be leading characteristics of this establishment.

N. B. Persons having Mills, Workshops, Manufactories, Machinery, or Working Tools of any description, FOR SALE OR TO LET, can have the same registered and probably disposed of, as above.

☞ Persons wanting APPRENTICES, or having boys to put out to trades, are invited to enter their names. MECHANICS arriving from the country, and Strangers from other countries in want of employment, will find their interest in registering their names and occupations as above.

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THE Subscriber offers for Sale, at his establishment, No. 80 Chesnut street, Philadelphia, (the stand formerly occupied by James Molony,) a fresh and extensive supply of SPANISH HIDES, in fine order, and of an excellent quality, weighing from 15 to 31 lbs. which he will sell at fair prices, for cash or acceptances—and all kinds of Leather will be taken at the highest prices, in exchange for Hides. DAVID COGGINS.

jan 19—tf

MAHOGANY.

JOHN JAMES, jun. Cabinet, Chair and Venitian Blind Maker, *No. 28 North Fifth street*, a few doors above the sign of the White Horse, and next door to the sign of the Lamb, has for sale, MAHOGANY in Plank, Boards and Veneers. Also, COPAL, JAPAN and SPIRIT VARNISH, and GLUE.

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feb 2—tf

John and Thomas Cluley,

WIRE FENDER and CAGE MAKERS, No. 17 South Fourth street, next door to the Indian Queen, manufacture all articles in the Wire line on reasonable terms. Orders from any part of the U. States promptly attended to. feb 2—tf

ITALIAN SCHOOL.

PERSONS desirous of learning the ITALIAN LANGUAGE, are informed, that the Subscriber intends opening a School as soon as a sufficient number of Scholars are obtained.

Further information may be received on this subject, by calling at Robinson's Store, No. 86, Chesnut street. G. PERSICO.

march 9—4t

Money to Loan on Mortgage.

SEVERAL Sums of different amounts, from one thousand to fifty thousand Dollars, to Loan on approved security in the City or County of Philadelphia. Apply to ISAAC ELLIOTT, No. 82 Chesnut street. feb 2—tf

WALDREN BEACH,

86 LOMBARD STREET,

MANUFACTURES and has for Sale, in Wholesale quantities, the following articles:—

Cake, Canister and Roll Blacking—Windsor Soap, and Wash Balls—Pomatum, Ink Powder, Glass Paper, &c. &c.

N. B. The Manufacturer will sell in Wholesale quantities only, to Stores, and those wishing to Retail. feb 2—tf

Wholesale and Retail Brewery.

THE Subscriber informs his friends and the public, that they can be supplied with FRESH BEER and ALE, at the following prices, viz. from five gallons and upwards, at the rate of 18¾ cents per gallon—Table Beer at 6¼ cents per gallon, Yeast, &c. WM. STEVENS,

No. 64, corner of Gray's alley and Front street. sept 15—tf

JEHU WARD,

CLOCK and WATCH MAKER, No. 42 *Market street*, between Front and Second, south side, has for sale, an assortment of warranted Watches, together with Chains, Seals and Keys, of various descriptions. Also, Silver Table and Tea Spoons, at reduced prices. Clocks, Watches, &c. repaired on the most reasonable terms, and warranted to perform aug 18—tf

R. L. JENNINGS,

GIVES lessons upon his system of SHORT HAND, at No. 2 South Eighth street. Ladies or Gentlemen desirous of acquiring a thorough knowledge of this art, may be assured, that from its simplicity, a person of ordinary capacity will, in less than two weeks, be able to read and write it correctly and expeditiously. feb 23—tf

QUILL MANUFACTORY.

KREYMBORG & HAGEDORN, No. 41 Chesnut, Philadelphia, has on hand and offers for sale, all kinds of Clarified Yellow and White Manufactured QUILLS, from $2 50 to $25 the ... feb 2—tf

Silk, Cotton and Woollen Dyer.

S. WILLIAMSON, No. 38, North Eighth Street, Philadelphia, respectfully informs the Dry Good Merchants, that he still continues the above business, of Dying *French* and Canton Crapes, Levantines, Mantua and Florence Silks, Sattins, Velvets, Gauzes, Sewing Silks, Ribands, &c. and restores Silks to their original colours, Bombazets, Bombazeens, Poplins, Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Waterloo Shawls Dyed, Pressed or Sponged, and every article of Clothing.

S. W. flatters himself, from his long experience in the above business, all those who may favor him with their orders he hopes he will be able to give general satisfaction. jan 12—6m

SILVIERA & BROWNE,

WOOLLEN DRAPERS AND TAYLORS, No. 83 *South Second street*, most respectfully inform their friends and the public in general, they will furnish every article in their line of business on the most reasonable terms.

ON HAND,

A handsome assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, together with a variety of Ready made Pantaloons and Vests.

Also, a fine assortment of Tartan Plaid Cloaks, which will be disposed of very low for cash. jan 5—tf

DAVID EVANS,

OF the late firm of David and Joseph Evans, has Opened a Commission MOROCCO and LEATHER STORE, *No. 27 Chesnut street*, between Second and Front streets, Philadelphia, where he will sell all kinds of Leather on Commission for Country Tanners and others, and always keeps a general assortment of Morocco, of various colours, on hand—he likewise purchases Spanish Hides and Tanners Oil for those who may want. A large assortment of GOAT SKINS is expected shortly, on consignment.

Being brought up to the Tanning and Currying he considers himself a judge of Leather and Hides. He will also receive SHOES to sell on Commission. ☞ *All which will be attended to with fidelity.* feb 2—tf

THE BUSINESS

FORMERLY conducted by T. W. LEVERING, deceased, Bell Caster, Brass Founder, Bell Hanger and Lock-smith, is still continued at the old established stand, No. 79 SOUTH FIFTH STREET—a capable person engaged, Casts and Hangs Church, Turret, and Ship Bells, on reasonable terms. House Bells, in town or country, neatly hung, Locks, Jacks, and all sorts of Brass Furniture, neatly repaired. Keys fitted to Locks, and Locks picked at the shortest notice.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited feb 2—tf

ALEXANDER PARKER,

RESPECTFULLY acquaints the public, that he has a general assortment of the first quality Garden and Flower Seeds for sale, at the MOYAMENSING BOTANIC GARDEN, Prime street, Love lane, near Eleventh street. Also, a large collection of Green House and Hardy Plants, Fruit and Ornamental Trees and Shrubs, with a fine selection of Bulbous Roots. Orders, per post, or left at No. 40 George street, Southwark, will be punctually attended to. march 23—tf

FRUIT TREES FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber having purchased that old established Nursery formerly the property of Samuel Coles, deceased, in addition to his former establishment, will be enabled to furnish his customers with a large and general assortment of APPLE, PEAR, PLUM, PEACH, CHERRY and APRICOT TREES.

Catalogues may be had by applying to the Subscriber, or can be sent to Market street Ferry, upper side, if required, any day except Sunday.

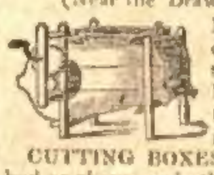
JOSEPH FRENCH, Jun.

Moorestown, (N. J.) Oct. 20, 1821—6m

JAMES B. WOOD,

42 *SPRUCE, between Front and Second streets,*

(Near the Drawbridge, Philadelphia,)



MANUFACTURES and keeps constantly on hand, the Patent Wheat Fans, and the old Dutch Fans; likewise, Fans for cleaning Coffee and Rice, and all other Grain.

CUTTING BOXES, of a superior kind, may be had as above, and others of all sorts and sizes.

FARMING UTENSILS, of every description, for sale at reasonable prices.

Orders for Shipping, or other purposes, will be supplied at the shortest notice, on moderate terms. feb 23—tf

THE SUBSCRIBER

OFFERS for sale, at his Manufactory, No. 36 Carters Alley, a few doors from Third st. directly opposite Girard's Bank, an extensive supply of BOOTS and SHOES, of various kinds and qualities. Also, a handsome assortment of Eastern Shoes.

feb 2—tf JOSEPH COGGINS.

HAT STORE,

NO. 24 NORTH THIRD STREET, Philadelphia.

C. P. WILLMARTH offers to the public, whose patronage he solicits, Water-Proof Imitation Beaver Hats, which are surpassed by none, in cheapness and durability. oct 27—tf

JOHN M'CLOUD, 46 Market street,

KEEPS constantly on hand, a large and general assortment of Ready made HATS, which he will sell at very reduced prices. Customers supplied at a short notice, on reasonable terms. feb 2—tf

JAMES BIRD,

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER,

NO. 25 north Tenth street, respectfully informs his friends and the public in general, that he has commenced the Boot and Shoemaking business, and trusts by strict attention to merit a share of public patronage feb 2—tf

Oyster Rendezvous and Chop House.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

THE subscriber in tendering his thanks for the liberal patronage which has been heretofore extended to him, respectfully informs his friends and the community generally, that he has re-opened his establishment at No. 10 LIBRARY STREET, immediately facing the United States' Bank, and that he has annexed to his Hotel an

Oyster Rendezvous.

Gentlemen can be supplied with unusual dispatch at any hour through the day, with the first rate Oysters dressed to suit their wishes; and in the Chop House, with Beefsteaks, Veal Cutlets, and a variety of poultry; and choice game, and with any other article in the culinary line, which they may be disposed to prefer. The contiguity of the Banks, Coffee-House and public offices, renders his establishment unusually accommodating to persons having business at either, and he solicits a continuance of their former favours.

The Bar is abundantly supplied with liquors and refreshments, and there will be constantly on hand Genuine old Irish Whisky, for *Hot Punch*,

nov 17—tf CHARLES NEWMAN.

IRON CHEST.

ANY person having one to dispose of, may hear of a purchaser by leaving a note, directed to S. at the office of the Saturday Evening Post, stating price, size, &c. oct 6—tf

17,000 Prime RUSSIA QUILLS,

AND a few dozen coloured MOROCCO SKINS, suitable for Coach Trimmings, just received and for sale by

Samuel D. Breed,

april 6—tf 49 North Front street.

ANDREW MOORE'S

TOOTH BRUSH MANUFACTORY, No. 119 North Third street, above Race street, Philadelphia, where he offers for sale, Tooth Brushes, of a superior quality. Also, Fancy and Common Brushes, wholesale and retail, on the most reasonable terms. All orders thankfully received, and punctually attended to. april 6—tf

BENJAMIN RICHARDSON,

LATE from Sheffield, File Manufacturer and Cutler, No. 77 SOUTH SECOND STREET, has commenced manufacturing Files, Table Knives and Forks, Razors of the first quality, warranted for use, Scissors made to order or pattern. Cutlery, of every description, ground, polished and repaired in the best manner, and at the shortest notice. Blades, of the best cast steel, put in Penknive handles, and warranted good; Table knives and forks repaired, either with new blades or handles; Old Files re-cut and made as new.

oct 6—tf

VENETIAN BLINDS,

MADE, painted, and fitted up in the best possible manner, at the Columbian Shade Manufactory, No. 104, North Fifth Street, Philadelphia, cheap for cash, or in exchange for Merchandize. As the subscriber devotes the whole of his time to this business, he flatters himself that he can give better satisfaction to his employers than those who are involved in a labyrinth of professions.—Orders from any part of the country executed with fidelity and despatch, by the public's faithful servant, JOHN YATMAN.

Jan 12—6m

Samuel Mason, jun.

CLOCK and WATCH MAKER, has Removed from No. 167 Chesnut street to No. 249 Market street, north side, between Sixth and Seventh streets, where he offers for sale, an assortment of warranted patent Lever, Repeating & Plain Watches. Also, Gold, Gilt and Steel Chains, Seals & Keys. *Clocks and Watches carefully repaired.* feb 2—tf

FANCY CHAIRS.

THE Subscribers have on hand, a large assortment of FANCY CHAIRS, made of the best materials, which they will sell low for Cash, at No. 59 CHESNUT STREET, Philadelphia.

GEORGE C LENTNER,

feb 2—tf JOHN PATTERSON.

HARDWARE.

A GENERAL assortment of IRONMONGERY, CUTLERY, &c. may be constantly obtained on moderate terms, by Store-keepers and others, for cash or credit, at the subscriber's store, No. 57 Market, third door below Second street.

THOMAS SHIPLEY.

Jan. 12—6m

THE CELEBRATED

CEYLON TOOTH POWDER.

THE recipe for this excellent Dentifrice was sent by a gentleman in the East Indies to his friend in England, where it is universally used and highly approved, being a preventative of the TOOTH-ACHE. It purifies and sweetens the Breath; causes the Teeth to be a beautiful white; improves the enamel and strengthens the Gums. Very few have been known to have the Tooth-ache, or Rheumatism in the Gums, who have constantly used it. For sale by THOMAS S. ANNERS, Sole Agent for the proprietor, No. 141 Chesnut street.

A liberal discount made to those who buy to sell again. Also a choice assortment of PERFUMERY. Jan. 12—6m

Hamilton Village Inn.

ROBERT SHAW, Victualler, respectfully informs his friends and the public, and brother Victuallers, that he has taken the above Establishment for the accommodation of those who may honour him with their custom. Good and sufficient Sheds for Horses, together with Pens for Sheep, and accommodations for Drovers, Pary ers, Waggoners, &c. nov. 17—tf

CARRIAGES AND GIGS.

THE SUBSCRIBER respectfully tenders his thanks for the patronage which has heretofore been bestowed upon him, and apprizes his friends and the public that his establishment has recently been improved, and augmented to an extent which enables him to supply the calls of his customers at the most immediate notice. His carriages are not only fitted up in an elegant manner, but constructed and furnished so as to be at once comfortable and commodious—his principal care having been to accommodate them to the several seasons of the year. In the selection of his coachmen he has been particularly careful, that they should be sober and skilful, and that their appearance should correspond with the equipage. Despatch, diligence and attention, will be constantly given to those who honour him with their commands. The dimensions of his stable being very extensive, he is willing to receive Horses at Livery.

He has provided his establishment with a very elegant HEARSE FOR FUNERALS, with Horses and Furniture corresponding with the Vehicle and its purpose.

Expresses sent to any part of the country at any hour.

JOHN CARTER.

In Prune street, between 5th and 6th streets. dec. 22—tf

BALM OF COLUMBIA,

An important recent Chemical discovery.

THE ladies and gentlemen of this city and elsewhere, are respectfully informed, that John Oldridge has fortunately discovered, by the power of chemistry, the grand desideratum of preventing Hair from falling off in FORTY-EIGHT HOURS. This balm will most absolutely, in the course of a short time, make the Hair grow *healthy* and *thick*. J. O. is well aware that many fraudulent and impositious Oils, &c have been imposed on the public, and therefore prejudice will be severe against his discovery, until trial shall convince his patrons that such a thing exists in nature as a certain preventative against the loss of hair. This valuable balm will cause whiskers and beards to grow rapidly. No danger need be apprehended to the human system by the application of this capillary restorative. The public may rest assured that it helps nature, and is perfectly harmless.

Persons desirous of becoming agents for the sale of the Balm of Columbia, will please address the proprietor by letter, (post paid,) with a suitable reference.

Prepared and sold, at $1 a pint, or 50 cents for a half pint bottle, by JOHN OLDRIDGE, No. 35½ South Front street, and at No. 11 North Fourth street, Philadelphia.

RECOMMENDATION.

WE, the undersigned, do hereby certify, that we have, in various cases, used the Balm of Columbia, lately discovered by John Oldridge, of Philadelphia, and have found it highly serviceable not only as a preventative against the falling off of hair, but also as a restorative. We, therefore, feel assured of its excellence, and consider it valuable and well worthy the attention of the public. In testimony whereof, we have added our respective signatures, and given it our warmest recommendation.

Abraham A. Robinson, 55 South Front street.
Cromwell French, 1 Taylor's alley, S. front st.
John Fink, Plumb street, between 5th and 6th.
John Cook, 35 Penn street.

The proprietor is in possession of any other respectable certificates, which he does not deem necessary to publish, but invites the public to call and see them. mch 30—tf